

What do your *invoices* have in common with your *email*?

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Session 1: 8:00-noon

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If you do both on your computer, you may want to think more about computer security. Payroll, proprietary information, client or employee data – information is **essential** to a business's success. A computer failure or other system breach could cost a business anything from its reputation to its competitive advantage.

- ♦ A bookkeeper, described as "a family man and a good Christian", stole \$73,000 from his employer. The theft, legal fees, and recovery fees paid to new accountants almost destroyed the 40-person firm.
- ♦ A Trojan horse, unknowingly activated by the company's owner, devastated a small consulting firm.
- ♦ A grandmother embezzled \$500,000 from her employer, a small electrical equipment supplier.

The small business owner who **recognizes the threat** of computer crime **AND** who takes steps to deter inappropriate activities is **less likely** to become a victim.

The NIST Computer Security Division has developed a workshop to **help the small business owner** increase information system security.

- ♦ Learn how to define information security (IS) for your organization.
- ♦ Hear examples of common types of threats and understand how to determine the extent to which your organization should proactively address threats.
- ♦ Learn common Best Practices and procedures to operate more securely.
- ♦ Hear a basic explanation of current technologies used in reducing IS vulnerabilities and learn of resources freely available to your organization.

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